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Re: U.S. Utility Patent Application
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For: **Compositions and Methods for Reverse Transcription of Nucleic Acid
Molecules**
Inventors: Gerard *et al.*
Our Ref: 0942.4330002/RWE/MTT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action are the following documents:

1. Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(1);
2. Fee Transmittal Form PTO/SB/17;
3. Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111;
4. 6 pages of a paper copy of the substitute sequence listing;
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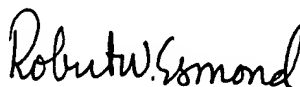
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Respectfully submitted,


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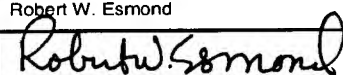
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